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SUBJ: TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR ARMISH- MAAG

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1. RECONCILIATION OF TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR MAAGS AND MILGPS WITH PRESIDENT' S LETTER OF MARCH 9, 1969, DEFINING AMBASSADOR' S AUTHORITY VIS- A- VIS SUCH GROUPS IS STILL IN PROCESS. DIFFERENCES STEM FROM DOD VIEW THAT TOR' S ARE ESSENTIALLY INTERNAL DOCUMENTS. IT IS OUR VIEW THAT TO THE EXTENT THESE DOCUMENTS REFER TO LINES OF AUTHORITY THEY MUST CLEARLY REFLECT PRESIDENTIAL DECISIONS BEARING ON THIS SUBJECT. WE ARE HOPEFUL THAT A MEETING OF MINDS CAN BE ACHIEVED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

2. IN MEANTIME WE WOULD WELCOME ANY SPECIFIC SUGGESTIONS YOU HAVE AS TO REVISIONS THAT MAY BE MADE IN TOR FOR MAAG IF YOU PERCEIVE ANY CONFLICT WITH PRESIDENT' S LETTER.
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